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Applicant : John R. Desjarlais Art Unit : 1631
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Mail Stop Amendment

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed September 7, 2006, the applicant makes the following elections:

(A): towards natural amino acid sequences; and

(B): genetic algorithms.

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Respectfully submitted,

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